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By the KING,
A PROCLAMATION,

For recalling and prohibiting Seamen from serving Foreign Princes and States; for giving Encouragement to Seamen and Able-bodied Landmen to enter themselves in Board His Majesty's Ships of War; and for granting Rewards for discovering such Seamen as shall conceal themselves.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS We are informed that great Numbers of Mariners and Seafaring Men, Our natural-born Subjects, are in the Service of divers Foreign Princes and States, to the Prejudice of Our Kingdom: And whereas Our Service doth at this Time require a speedy Supply of Seamen and Seafaring Men to man such of Our Ships as are now ready to be commissioned: We have therefore thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy Council, to publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby strictly charge and command all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever and wheresoever, (being Our natural-born Subjects) who are in the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or do serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel, that forthwith they, and every of them, do (according to their known and bounden Duty and Allegiance) withdraw themselves, depart from, and quit such Foreign Services, and return home to their native Countries: And farther, We do hereby strictly prohibit and forbid all Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, and other Seafaring Men whatsoever, (being Our natural-born Subjects) from entering, and do charge and command them and every of them from henceforth to forbear to enter themselves into the Pay or Service of any Foreign Prince or State, or to serve in any Foreign Ship or Vessel whatsoever, without Our special Licence first had and obtained in that Behalf; to all which We expect due Obedience and exact Conformity. And We do hereby publish and declare, that the Offenders to the contrary shall not only incur Our just Displeasure, but be proceeded against for their Contempt according to the utmost Severities of the Law. And We do hereby declare, That if any such Masters of Ships, Pilots, Mariners, Seamen, Shipwrights, or other Seafaring Men, (being Our Subjects) shall be taken in any Foreign Service by the Turks, Algerines, or any others, they shall not be reclaimed by Us as Subjects of Great Britain. And whereas it is Our Royal Intention to give all due Encouragement to all such Seamen, Seafaring Men, and Able-bodied Landmen, who shall voluntarily enter themselves in Our Service, We do hereby promise and declare, that all such Able Seamen, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, fit for Our Service, who shall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of September next, voluntarily enter themselves to serve in Our Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of Our Ships, or the Chief Officers on board such Tenders as shall be employed for raising Men for the Service of Our Navy, shall receive, as Our Royal Bounty, the Sum of Five Pounds each Man; and all such Ordinary Seamen, fit for Our Service, who shall so enter themselves as aforesaid, shall receive the Sum of Two Pounds Ten Shillings each Man as Our Royal Bounty; and that every Able-bodied

Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who shall voluntarily enter themselves as aforesaid to serve on board any of Our Ships, shall receive, as of Our Royal Bounty, the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man; such respective Sums to be paid by the respective Clerks of the Cheque residing at the Ports or Places where the Ships into which they shall be entered shall be, immediately after the Third Muster of such Seamen and Landmen. And We do declare, that the Qualification of the Seamen so entering themselves as aforesaid shall be certified by the Captain, Master and Boatwain of the Ship or Vessel where they shall enter. And for Prevention of any Abuses by any Persons leaving the Vessels to which they shall belong, and entering themselves on board any other Ships or Vessels, in order to obtain the said Bounty Money, We do hereby declare and command, that such Seamen or Landmen, belonging to any of Our Ships or Vessels, as shall absent themselves from any of the Ships or Vessels to which they shall belong, and shall enter themselves on board any other of Our said Ships or Vessels, in order to obtain the said Bounty, shall not only lose the Wages due to them in the Ships or Vessels they shall leave, but also be severely punished according to their Demerits. And We do hereby further promise and declare, that a Reward of Two Pounds for every Able, and Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, shall be paid any Person who shall discover any Seaman or Seamen who may secrete themselves, that so such Seaman or Seamen shall be taken for Our said Service, by any of Our Sea Officers employed for raising Men, on or before the 30th Day of September next; the said Rewards to be paid for any Seaman or Seamen, so discovered and taken in and about London, by the Principal Officers and Commissioners of Our Navy, and, at the Out-Ports, by the Naval Officers, (where there are any) and, where there are no Naval Officers, by the Collectors of Our Customs, immediately upon a Certificate being produced to the said Principal Officers and Commissioners of Our Navy, Naval Officers, or Collectors respectively, by the Person who may make Discovery of any Seaman or Seamen as aforesaid, certifying his Name, and the Name or Names and Number of Seamen procured in consequence of his Discovery; the said Certificate to be given by such Officer as may take such Seaman or Seamen for Our Service.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Twenty-first Day of June, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-two, in the Twenty-second Year of Our Reign.

G O D save the K I N G.

At the Court at St. James's, the 19th of June, 1782,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 14th of December last, for continuing the Prohibition on the Exportation or Carrying of Copper Coastwise, (except as therein mentioned) will expire on the 22d of this instant June: And whereas, upon the Application of the several Companies of Copper Smelters



[Price Seven-Pence.]

Smelters within the Kingdom of Great Britain, His Majesty (in order to remove all Obstructions upon Trade, so far as might be consistent with sound Policy) was pleased, by His Order in Council of the 10th of last Month, to permit and allow Copper of the Weight and Dimensions described in the said Order, to be carried Coastwise or exported, under certain Restrictions and Conditions therein specified: And whereas His Majesty judges it necessary for the Public Good, at this critical Conjunction, that the Exportation or Carrying Copper Coastwise, should continue to be prohibited for some Time longer, except under the Restrictions and Conditions allowed by the above-recited Order of the 10th of May last. His Majesty is thereupon pleased, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Prohibition upon the Exportation or Carrying of Copper Coastwise be continued for Six Months, to commence from the 22d Day of this instant June; but it is His Majesty's Pleasure that the same shall not be taken to extend to any Sort of Copper to be exported or sent Coastwise by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy, or their Officers or Agents, for His Majesty's Service; or to the carrying Coastwise or exporting of Copper in Sheets, weighing less than Twelve and more than Forty Ounces to the Foot superficial, to any Parts beyond the Sea, to which the same may be lawfully exported, upon Condition, that all such Copper be inspected and examined by an Agent or Agents appointed or to be appointed by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy; and that a Certificate, under the Hand and Seal of the said Agent or Agents shall be first had and obtained, setting forth, that no Part of such Copper consists of Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and less than Forty Ounces inclusive to the Foot superficial; which Certificate from the said Agent shall be delivered to the proper Officers of the Customs at the Port in which the said Copper is intended to be shipped, and shall be their Authority for allowing the Quantity of Copper specified in the said Certificate to be put on Board, in order to be carried Coastwise or exported: And His Majesty is hereby further pleased to permit and allow the Exportation of Copper in Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and less than Forty Ounces inclusive to the Foot superficial, provided that the same shall consist of Pieces not exceeding Four Pounds Weight in any One Piece; and that a Certificate thereof be obtained in Manner above directed, before such Copper be laden or put on Board; and also to permit the carrying Coastwise of Copper in Sheets weighing more than Twelve Ounces and less than Forty Ounces inclusive to the Foot superficial, upon Condition that no more than Five Hundred Weight of such Copper shall be shipped by any one Person or Partnership, and that the Quantity put on Board any one Ship or Vessel shall not exceed Ten Hundred Weight in the Whole, unless Security by Bond hath first been given to the proper Officers of His Majesty's Customs, in Treble the Value of such Copper, to carry the same to the Places proposed, and none other; and to produce and deliver a Certificate or Certificates, within Two Months from the Date of the Bond, from the proper Officers of the Customs at the Ports for which any such Copper shall be entered and cleared out, of the same having been all duly landed at such Ports; which Certificate or Certificates such Officer is hereby required to give; and the same Certificate or Certificates the Commissioners of the Customs are hereby required to transmit to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in order to be laid before this Board. And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Faulkner.

St. James's, June 25.

The following Address of the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of

Hertford, has been presented to the King by John Michie, Esq; Sheriff, William Plumer and Thomas Halsey, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for the said County, and William Baker and George Jennings, Esqrs. Representatives in Parliament for the Borough of Hertford, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Hertford, assembled in the Shire Hall at Hertford, on Saturday the 15th Day of June, 1782,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Hertford, beg Leave to express the grateful Sense which we entertain of your Majesty's Attention to the earnest Wishes of your People, in calling to your Councils Ministers, in whose Principles, Ability, and Zeal for the Public Welfare, we can with Safety confide.

In this new Arrangement, and the Reformation carrying on by Parliament, we have the Happiness to see the particular Regard which has been paid to some of the principal Objects of our late Petitions, by the Introduction of a substantial Economy, and a Diminution of that fatal Influence, from which your Majesty's late Ministers derived their Power, and the Nation its greatest Calamities.

The unreserved and affectionate Expressions used by your Majesty on this interesting Occasion, joined to the Declarations and Conduct of Parliament in the Affairs of America and Ireland, have inspired and united all Ranks of your Majesty's Subjects in the Common Cause; and the late signal Successes of the British Arms, both by Sea and Land, are convincing Proofs that the Divine Providence is not indifferent to the Prosperity of a Nation, which, seeing for the Distresses of Mankind, and founding its Exertions in Frugality and Justice, pursues War only for the Purpose of obtaining such a Peace as may consist with the Honour and lasting Happiness of a free People.

Signed, as the unanimous Act of the Meeting,
John Michie, Sheriff.

The following Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Sussex, has been presented to the King by William Frankland, Esq; Sheriff, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The Address of the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Sussex.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WITH the sincerest Attachment to your Royal Person and Family, and the highest Veneration for the excellent Constitution of our Country, We, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen, Clergy, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Sussex, beg Leave to approach the Throne with the warmest Expressions of Gratitude to your Majesty, for having graciously complied with the Wishes of your People, by removing from your Councils those Men, under whose Administration Calamities so many and so great have befallen your Kingdoms.

We return our unfeigned Thanks for your Majesty's most generous Disposition to alleviate the Burthens of an extensive War by your Paternal Example, and for your Recommendation of an effectual Plan of Economy through all the Branches of Public Expenditure: Such a Declaration from our Sovereign cannot fail most effectually to promote the Interest and Prosperity of all your Majesty's Dominions.

W. Frankland, Sheriff.

The following Address of the High Steward, Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants, Common Council, Free Burgesses, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Colchester, has been presented to the King by William Mayhew, Esq; High Steward and Recorder, Sir Robert Smyth, Bart. One of the Representatives in Parliament for the said Borough, and Thomas Berney Bramston, Esq; One of the Representatives in Parliament for the County of Essex, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the High Steward, Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants, Common Council, Free Burgesses, and principal Inhabitants of the Borough of Colchester in the County of Essex, beg Leave to approach the Throne with our most sincere Congratulations upon the Success of your Majesty's Arms in various Parts of the World, and particularly upon the decisive Victory gained by your Majesty's Fleet on the Twelfth of April last, under the Command of Lord Rodney. A Victory which while it reflects immortal Honour upon the brave and intrepid Admiral, and upon every Officer and Man, who bore a Share in that perilous and glorious Day, will, we trust, be productive of the happiest Consequences to this Country.

Such Eminence of Bravery and Ability must at once make its Way to the Heart of every Briton: And as it cannot fail of securing your Majesty's warmest Approbation and Regard, demands every Mark of Respect and Acknowledgment from a grateful and generous People.

In Testimony whereof, we the High Steward, Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Assistants, Common Council, and Free Burgesses, have caused our common Seal to be hereunto affixed, and we the Inhabitants have subscribed our Names, the Thirty-first Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-two, and in the Twenty-second Year of your Majesty's Reign.

[Signed by 72 Persons.]

The following Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth, has been presented to the King by the Right Honourable Charles Townshend and the Honourable Richard Walpole, their Representatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, in Common Council assembled, beg Leave to offer our sincere Congratulations upon the Success of your Majesty's Arms in different Parts of the World, and in particular upon the late glorious and decisive Victory obtained over the French in the West-Indies by the Fleet under the Command of that able and experienced Officer Sir George Rodney.

Permit us at the same Time to express our warmest Gratitude to your Majesty, for having in your Royal Wisdom caused such a Force, so commanded, to be assembled in the West-Indies, to oppose the most powerful Armament ever sent from France into those Seas, at a Time when a Combination of numerous and formidable Enemies called for the Exertions of your Naval Force in every Quarter of the Globe.

So fortunate, under the Blessing of Providence, has been the Event, that the Annals of our History, filled as they are with Naval Triumphs, do

not afford an Instance, where the Skill and Conduct of British Officers, and the Spirit and Intrepidity of British Seamen, shone with greater Lustre, or were exerted more to the Honour and Interest of these Kingdoms.

May the Consequences of this important Victory, and a Continuation of Success, enable your Majesty to accomplish the benevolent Wish of your Heart, in the Termination of this just and necessary War by a safe and honourable Peace!

Given under our Common Seal, at our Guildhall, this 14th Day of June, 1782.

Whitehall, June 25.

The following Address having been transmitted by his Grace the Duke of Portland, Lord Lieutenant of the Kingdom of Ireland, to the Earl of Shelburne. One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been presented to the King: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the County of Cavan, on Thursday the 6th Day of June, 1782, convened by James Pratt, Esq; our High Sheriff, the following Address to His Majesty was unanimously agreed upon.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful, loyal, and grateful Subjects, the Inhabitants of the County of Cavan, feel ourselves impatient to forward to the Throne our Assurances of Attachment to your Majesty's Royal Person and Government; and to express our warmest Acknowledgements and Thanks for the recent Instance of your Majesty's paternal Regard, manifested by your prompt and favourable Attention to the Representations of our Parliament.

The Unanimity of the British Parliament in Behalf of this Nation has afforded us the most pleasing Prospect. We now hope the Two Nations will become One happy People; no longer separated and divided by different Views and Interests, but equally enjoying the same Constitution, and vying with each other only in their Zeal and Loyalty to their Gracious Sovereign.

We beg Leave to offer to your Majesty our sincere Congratulations upon your Majesty's late important and signal Successes in the East and West Indies. Your Majesty's Wisdom in the Choice of your present Ministers has been already evinced by great and glorious Events; and we look forward with the most sanguine Hopes, that, by their Abilities and Integrity, the British Empire will again be restored to its usual Magnificence and Splendour.

When the Establishment of our Constitution upon a sure Foundation, and the Extension of our Trade and Commerce, shall be fully ratified and confirmed, they must operate strongly upon a grateful People; as by the One our Rights and Privileges are secured, so by the Other we shall be enabled to afford a more adequate and effectual Support to your Majesty's Royal Person and Government, being firmly united with our Parliament in a Determination "To stand or fall with the British Nation."

Signed, by the unanimous Order of the Meeting,
James Pratt, Sheriff.

Admiralty-Office, June 25, 1782.

Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant Cadman, commanding the *Defiance*, an Armed Ship in His Majesty's Service, to Mr. Stephens. Dated at Exmouth the 21st of June, 1782.

S I R,

I BEG you will inform their Lordships, that Yesterday at Five P. M. Portland bearing E. by S. Six Leagues, I observed an Armed Brig standing out of West Bay; I immediately cleared for Action, and stood towards her: On coming within Hail she

the hoisted Dutch Colours, and began to engage us. The Conflict lasted about Two Hours, when she struck to the Defiance, and proved to be the Zeuze, commanded by Pierre le Turc, belonging to Flushing, of 16 Long Six Pounders, and 1 Eighteen-Pounder, 113 Men, had been out only Four Days, Three Weeks off the Stocks, and had One Ransomer on board for One Hundred Guineas. I am happy to inform you, in this Action I only lost One Man, and One wounded, though much shattered in our Sails and Rigging: The Boat Stove, Jib Boom and Cap damaged, and several Shot through our Sides. The Loss on the Enemy's Part was Twenty-one killed and Seventeen wounded; among the latter were the Two Captains; and the greatest Part dangerous. I beg Leave to recommend to their Lordships the good Conduct, Spirit and Zeal of Mr. Williams, Master, the Officers, and Ship's Company, which at that Time consisted only of 68 Men, (the Remainder of our Complement being sick on Shore) and the Guns of the Defiance only Four-Pounders.

I have the Honour to be, &c.

GEO. CADMAN,

Peterburgh, May 28. Yesterday at Noon a Fire broke out in that Part of the Town where the General Market is situated, and in less than Four Hours a Square of near a Mile was burnt to the Ground. All the Shops where the different Articles of Provisions are sold, the Butchery, Fish-market, &c. were consumed, and the Flames unfortunately reached the Buildings in the opposite Street. The great Attention of the Military and Firemen, who were animated by the Presence of her Imperial Majesty, prevented them from extending still further; and, by their unremitting Activity, a large Square of Stone Shops, containing the most valuable Effects, and indeed the whole District of the Town where the Fire began, were fortunately saved.

CHESTER CIRCUIT.

The Honourable Lloyd Kenyon, Esq; and
The Honourable Daines Barrington.

Montgomeryshire, Thursday August 1, at Pool.

Denbighshire, Wednesday August 7, at Wrexham.

Flintshire, Tuesday August 13, at Mold.

Cheshire, Monday August 19, at the Castle of Chester.

Admiralty-Office, June 25, 1782.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament passed in the 26th Year of His late Majesty's Reign, This is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, that on the 2d Day of December last, Jacob Jamson, Master of the Ship John, on his Passage from Memel to Southampton, fell in with the Hull or Wreck of a Ship which he took Possession of, laden with Pipe and Barrel Staves; that she appeared to be Foreign built, and of the Burthen of about 300 Tons, but could not find out to what Nation or Person she belonged, as her Papers were all destroyed; that he had the said Wreck in Tow till the Wednesday following, when, in order to save his own Ship from being taken by a Privateer which appeared in Sight, and chased him, he was obliged to run the Wreck on Shore near Bendy-Car-Rocks on the Northumberland Coast.

Ph. Stephens.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS there are at this Time several Deserters from the different Divisions of His Majesty's Marine Forces, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of Pardon, and such Instance of Clemency would have due Influence on their future Behaviour; My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, in order to encourage them to return to their Duty, and to remove their Guilt from the Punishment due to their Crime,

do hereby give Notice, that such of the said Deserters as shall surrender themselves at any of the aforesaid Divisions at Portsmouth, Plymouth, or Chatham, or to any Recruiting Party of the Marines in Great Britain or Ireland, on or before the 30th Day of June next, will receive His Majesty's Free Pardon.

And whereas several of the said Deserters have been apprehended and are now in Goal or Military Custody, their Lordships do hereby further give Notice, that His Majesty's Free Pardon will be extended to them also, of which they are to have the Benefit upon their Arrival at any of the Marine Head-Quarters.

And any Marine who may desert after this Public Notice of His Majesty's most gracious Intentions, will not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded against with the utmost Severity.

Ph. Stephens.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS many Seamen have, from Time to Time, inconsiderately deserted His Majesty's Service, by leaving the Ships they belonged to, as they could find Opportunity for so doing, or, having been put on Shore Sick from His Majesty's Ships, either into Hospitals or Sick Quarters, have made so ill a Return to the Care taken for their Healths as to desert from His Majesty's Service, when so far recovered as to be able to withdraw themselves from the said Hospitals or Sick Quarters; for which Crimes they have incurred the Loss of their Wages, and are punishable with Death by a Court Martial: But my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty being willing to impute such Desertion into a Rashness which most of them soon repent of, and believing that they would return to their Ships, were it not from Apprehensions of Punishment; in order therefore to remove such Apprehensions, and encourage them to return to their Duty, their Lordships do hereby declare, That if any Persons who have deserted as aforesaid shall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, return to the Ships to which they did belong, or, in case those Ships are gone Abroad, enter themselves on Board some other of His Majesty's Ships, they shall not be punished in any Manner whatsoever, on Account of the Crimes they have committed in withdrawing themselves from His Majesty's Service as aforesaid, *excepting such as have been guilty of Mutiny, or any other notorious Crimes:* And, as a further Encouragement, their Lordships are pleased to declare, that such as shall so return shall have their R^s taken off, and be paid their Wages for the Ships from which they respectively deserted; but their Lordships do also think fit to declare, that all Persons under the above-mentioned Circumstances, who do not make a proper Use of the Indulgence hereby offered them, will be strictly sought after, and, (in case they are apprehended) brought to a Court Martial, and treated as the Law directs.

Ph. Stephens.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 24, 1782.

WHEREAS it is supposed that several Persons, who have heretofore been appointed Gentlemen of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, may, since the last Return in June 1777, be dead, or removed from their Places of Residence; That it may appear to the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, who of them are remaining alive, his Grace is pleased to direct that all such do, on or before the 31st Day of July, 1782, transmit to Charles Herbert, Esq; Secretary, at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's, an Account of their present Places of Residence.

War Office, June 22, 1782.

2d Troop of Horse Grenadier Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Mercator Brome Walton is appointed to be Guidon and Captain, vice John Smith. Ditto, Cornet George James Riddell, of 2d Dragoons,

goons, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice Charles Mercator Bromie Walton.

Ditto, John Rusk, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice Robert Duckinfield.

1st Battalion of 1st Foot, Ensign John Clunes, of 26th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Dugald Stewart.

2d Battalion of 1st Foot, Duncan Mackellar, Gent. to be Ensign, vice John M'Donald.

26th Regiment of Foot, Christopher Davidson, Gent. to be Ensign, vice John Clunes.

A Corps of Foot to serve in Newfoundland, Robert Pringle, Esquire, to be Major Commandant.

To be Captains,
John Caddy, Esquire.

John Rogers, Esquire.

To be Captain-Lieutenant,
John Mackelcan, Esquire.

To be Lieutenants,
John Dunn, Gent.

Alexander Wilson, Gent.

Martin Delancy, Gent.

George Garland Cawley, Gent.

William Lilly, Gent.

To be Ensigns,
John Haynes, Gent.

James Street, Gent.

Peter Agnew, Gent.

John Young, Gent. to be Adjutant

William Sinclair, Gent. to be Surgeon.

War-Office, June 25, 1782.

9th Regiment of Foot, Colonel Thomas Lord Say and Sele is appointed to be Colonel, vice Edward Earl Ligonier.

Ditto, James Hallett, Mitchell, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Thomas Eyre.

10th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Myles Sandys to be Lieutenant, vice James Val. Norris.

19th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant James O'Connor, of the 103d Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Lord Edward Fitzgerald.

45th Regiment of Foot, Patrick Lindsay, Gent. to be Surgeon, vice William Hatcher.

50th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel John Shee, of the 75th Foot, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice John Gordon.

Ditto, Brevet-Major Henry Ogilvie to be Major, vice William Edmeston.

Ditto, Captain-Lieutenant Thomas Wrixon to be Captain of a Company, vice Henry Ogilvie.

Ditto, Lieutenant Robert Farmer to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Wrixon.

Ditto, Ensign John Lucas to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Farmer.

73d Regiment 2d Battalion, Volunteer James MacPherson to be Ensign, vice Alexander Grant.

75th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel William Edmeston, of 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice John Shee.

82d Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William M'Lachlan, from Half Pay in the 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice William Duncanson.

89th Regiment of Foot, Ensign James Mitchell to be Lieutenant, vice Samuel Evans.

Ditto, Quarter-Master Charles Cook to be Ensign, vice George Atkinson.

93d Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Honourable Edmund Phipps to be Captain of a Company, vice Thomas Hay.

96th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Richard Whyte to be Colonel.

North's Regiment of Fencible Men, Lieutenant Charles Gordon to be Captain of a Company, vice Lord Haddo.

Ditto, Ensign Adam Gordon to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Gordon.

Ditto, Andrew M'Pherson, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Adam Gordon.

Sutherland Regiment of Fencible Men, Ensign William M'Kay to be Lieutenant, vice Morrison Gun.

Ditto, ——— Forbes, Gent. to be Ensign, vice William M'Kay.

Ditto, Ensign Rose Sutherland to be Lieutenant, vice Robert M'Kay.

Ditto, Alexander Sutherland, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Rose Sutherland.

Earl Fawcenberg's Regiment of Foot, John Fitzgerald, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Morton Johnson.

Ditto, James Powel, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Robert M'Creery.

Lieutenant J. Delap Halliday, of the 104th Foot, to be Captain of an Independent Company of Foot, vice Dugald Campbell.

Ensign John Gordon to be Lieutenant in Captain John Mackenzie's Independent Company of Foot.

Ensign Thomas Collins, of Captain Fitzgerald's Independent Company, to be Lieutenant in Captain Christopher Aldworth's Independent Company.

Major William Cashell, late of the 83d Regiment, to be Lieutenant Governor of Hull, vice Lord Robert Manners.

Captain Thomas Aubrey, of 47th Foot, to be Major in the Army by Brevet.

Lieutenant Daniel Paterfon, of 49th Foot, to be Captain in the Army by Brevet.

Commissions signed by His Majesty for the Army in Ireland.

9th Dragoons, Eldest Cornet Robert Kindillon to be Lieutenant, vice Walpole; by Purchase. Dated December 10, 1781.

14th Dragoons, Mr. Averell Leckey to be Cornet, vice John King; by Purchase. Dated February 25, 1782.

36th Foot, Mr. John Curtis Ward to be Ensign, vice Thomas Brownrigg; by Purchase. Dated as above.

Ditto Mr. Caesar Colclough to be Ensign, vice Robert Bentley, who retires. Dated as above.

66th Foot, Second Ensign Benjamin Bunbury to be Lieutenant, vice John M'Namara, who retires. Dated as above.

Ditto, Mr. Richard Ellis to be Ensign, vice Bunbury.

67th Foot, Mr. Edward Heard to be Ensign, vice Russell Wood; by Purchase. Dated October 13, 1781.

Ditto, Captain-Lieutenant William Butler to be Captain, vice John Hutchinson; by Purchase. Dated as above.

Ditto, Lieutenant David Wilkinson to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William Butler.

Ditto, Ensign James Comerford to be Lieutenant, vice David Wilkinson.

Ditto, Mr. James Dickson to be Ensign, vice James Comerford.

Ditto, Lieutenant Robert Hedges to be Captain, vice William Ruxton, who retires. Dated February 25, 1782.

Ditto, Ensign Theobald Butler to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Hedges.

68th Foot, Mr. William Mansell to be Ensign, vice James Greenless; by Purchase. Dated as above.

Office of Ordnance, June 19, 1782.

Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received and opened in the Presence of the Master-General and Board, at their Office in St. Margaret's Street, Westminster, on Wednesday the 10th of July, from such Persons as are willing to supply ibid Office with Shovels, Pickaxes, and Spades. Patterns of which may be seen at the Tower.

John Boddington.



Office of Ordnance, June 21, 1782.

Wanted, for the Use of the Ordnance, a considerable Quantity of Junk fit for making Wads for Guns; and also a Quantity of Match. Any Persons willing to contract for the same are desired to send in Proposals to the Master-General and Board, in Writing, (sealed up) offering their Terms and Price, and attend with the same on Wednesday the 10th of July next, at this Office in St. Margaret's-street, Westminster.

John Boddington.

Vicqualling-Office, June 19, 1782.

THE Commissioners for Vicqualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wednesday the 3d of July next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish Fresh Beef and Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may come to Weymouth, and be in Want thereof.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Weymouth.

N. B. No Tenders will be received after One o'Clock.

East-India House, June 12, 1782.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That several Pipes and Casks of Madeira and other Wines, imported in sundry Ships, are still remaining in their Vaults under the East-India House unclaimed, and will be sold if not cleared and taken away on or before the 1st of August next.

And they do likewise give Notice, that there will be sold, at their House in Leadenhall Street, on Friday the 28th Instant, at Ten o'Clock, Six Pipes of Madeira Wine, consigned from India to St. Helena as Stores for that Island; which may be viewed at the said Vaults, from the Hours of Nine to Two o'Clock, until the Morning of Sale.

General Post-Office, May 4, 1782.

DANIEL Hughes standing charged on a violent Suspicion of being an Accessary after the Fact to a Felony committed by George and Joseph Weston, now in Custody for robbing the Bristol Mail, on the 29th of January, 1781, near Cranford-Bridge in the County of Middlesex; Whoever will apprehend the said Daniel Hughes, or be the Means of his being apprehended, shall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid on his Conviction.

The said Daniel Hughes is by Trade a Taylor, lately lived at No. 15, Leicester-street near Swallow-street, and from thence removed to Mrs. Taylor's, Titchfield-street; he is Brother to Luke otherwise Lucius Hughes, now under Sentence of Death in Newgate, is about Thirty Years old, Five Feet Four or Five Inches high, stout and well made, has a large Scar under One of his Jaws, wears his Hair, which is of a dark Colour, generally tied in a Queue, and lately kept a Lottery-Office near Charing-cross.

By Command of the Post-Master General,
Anth. Todd, Sec.

Cateaton-street, June 5, 1782.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between John Shakeshaft, Richard Preston, and Hugh Stirrup, was, by mutual Consent, this Day dissolved. All Persons indebted to the said Concern are desired to pay the same to John Shakeshaft and Hugh Stirrup; by whom the Business will be continued, and all Demands on the above Partnership duly discharged.

J. Shakeshaft.
Rich. Preston.
Hugh Stirrup.

THE Partnership between John Hale, Charles Shephard and Joseph Hale, of Recrofts-street, Cripplegate, London, Brewers; was this Day (so far as the same respects the Interest of the said Charles Shephard therein) dissolved by mutual Consent; and all Persons indebted to the said late Partnership are to pay their respective Debts to the said John and Joseph Hale, by whom the Business will be carried on in future, and who will discharge all Debts due from the said late Partnership.

John Hale.
Cha. Shephard.
Joseph Hale.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between Clark Dumford and Ralph Baddeley, of Little Knight-riders-street, Doctors Commons, London, Pottery, is dissolved this 16th Day of June, 1782. All Persons indebted to the Partnership Account are desired to pay the several Demands to Clark Dumford, in Knight-riders-street, or to Ralph Baddeley, Shelton, Staffordshire; and all Persons having Claims on the Partnership are desired to send an Account of their Demands to Clark Dumford.

Clark Dumford.
Ralph Baddeley.

June 24, 1782.

THE Public are desired to take Notice, that the Partnership which subsisted between John Gayleard and Thomas Frost, late of Farms-mews, Hill street, Berkeley-square, is this Day mutually dissolved. All Debts due to the said Partnership are desired to be paid into the Hands of the said John Gayleard, at the said Place; and all Demands on the said Estate are desired to be brought to the said John Gayleard, that the same may be discharged.

John Gayleard.
Thomas Frost.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between Benjamin Holdsworth and Richard Fennell, of Wood-street, London, Haberdashers, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent; and all Debts due to and from the said Partnership will in future be paid and received by the said Benjamin Holdsworth, who continues to carry the Business on at the same Place: As witness our Hands, this 24th Day of June, 1782.

Benj. Holdsworth.
Rich. Fennell.

THE Partnership between James Simpson and Henry Fludger, of the Borough of Southwark, Grocers and Tea-dealers, is this Day mutually agreed to be dissolved; and in future all Dealings and Transactions of Business will be carried on respectively at the House of Mr. James Simpson, in St. Martin's-court near Leicester-fields, on his own Account, and at the House of Mr. Fludger, in the Borough of Southwark, on his separate Account only. Dated this 18th Day of June, 1782.

James Simpson.
Henry Fludger.

THE Partnership of James Linfitt, Jonathan Witham, and John Clough, under the Firm of Linfitt and Co. Milliners and Haberdashers, Sheffield, was dissolved on the 17th Day of March, 1781, by mutual Consent; and also the Partnership between Jonathan Witham and John Clough was dissolved the 19th Day of January, 1782, by mutual Consent.

James Linfitt.
Jona. Witham.
John Clough.

IF Mrs. Bethia Brown, Daughter of Captain John Brown, of Wellingborough, Northamptonshire, or any of her lawful Issue, will apply to Mr. Sutherland, in May's-buildings, St. Martin's-lane, London, they will bear of something to their Advantage.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 14th Day of February last, and made in a Cause of Webb and others against Wall, any Person or Persons claiming to be First, Second, Third, or Fourth Cousin of the late Mrs. Comfort Draper, named in the Will of Sarah Hall, Widow, deceased, late of Tewksbury in the County of Gloucester, and was or were living in Tewksbury at the Time of the Death of the said Sarah Hall, which happened on or about the 14th Day of November, 1780, or their Personal Representative or Representatives, is or are, on or before the 18th Day of November next, to come in and make their respective Claims to the Legacy of 2000l. in the Will of the said Sarah Hall mentioned, before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Wilmot, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Three distinct Lots; London, The Freehold Estates late of Joseph Hawkesworth, of the City of York, Wine-merchant, deceased, consisting of a Dwelling-house and Shop, with the Appurtenances, situate at Fossate in the City of York, now in the Occupation of James Rulby, at the clear yearly Rent of 10*l*. of another Dwelling-house and Premises situate at Fossate aforesaid, in the Tenure of Richard Boulton, at the clear yearly Rent of 8*l*. of a Farm and about 70 Acres of Land, situate at Nether Denby in the County of York, let to John Green, at the clear yearly Rent of 80*l*. and of a Farm and about 46 Acres of Land, situate at Liversedge in the Parish of Barfall in the said County of York, let to John Banks, at the clear yearly Rent of 34*l*. Further Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Graham, late of Croydon in the County of Surrey, Stone-mason, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts, before William Weller Pepys, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in Two Causes, of Bromfield and others against Chichester and others, and Rawe and others against Chichester and others, and a General Order of Transfer, the Creditors of Frances Rawe, late of Trevithick in the County of Cornwall, Widow, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Alexander Thomson, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

To the Creditors of John Fergusson, Underwriter, deceased.

THE Administrator of John Fergusson, late of London, Underwriter, deceased, being desirous of dividing the Produce of his Estate and Effects proportionably amongst his Creditors, without Preference or Distinction, requests that all Persons having any legal Claims or Demands on the said John Fergusson's Estate, (on Policies or otherwise) will not fail to send a particular Account thereof to the Administrator (Mr. Alexander Champion, at Lloyd's Coffee-house, London) or to Mr. Dowding, his Solicitor, in Brick-court in the Temple, on or before the 1st Day of August next, otherwise they will be totally excluded from all Benefit of the Dividend the Administrator will make immediately after that Day.

THE joint Creditors of Mess. Miller and Boulton and Henry Boulton, formerly of Antigua, and afterwards of St. Croix, Merchants, deceased, and the separate Creditors of the said Henry Boulton, are desired to apply to Mr. Kettle, in Basinghall-street, London, in order that the Effects in Hand of the said Mess. Miller and Boulton and Henry Boulton may be immediately distributed.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Christopher Inman, otherwise called Christopher Inman Whaley, late of Heath in Skirecoat in the Parish of Halifax in the County of York, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on the 29th of July next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the White Lyon, in Halifax aforesaid, touching a Proposal made by Michael Inman, the Bankrupt's Father, for the Purchase of the Bankrupt's Estate, Right, and Interest, in certain Messuages, Lands, and Tenements, in Carleton, Barnoldswick, Kildwick, Bingley and Kighley in the County of York, and in order to authorize the Assignees to sell the same by private Contract, or otherwise, as they may think best and most advantageous for the Bankrupt's Creditors, or to make any Agreement respecting the same; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Mary Ware and John Ware, late of Crayford in the County of Kent, Callico-printers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Friday next, the 28th Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Antwerp Tavern, Threadneedle street, to assent to or dissent from their commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jonathan Green, of the City of Exeter, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 10th Day of July next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Thompson's Hotel in the City of Exeter, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or

Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; or to their disposing of all or any Part of the Bankrupt's Stock in Trade by private or public Sale; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against James Langdale the Elder and James Langdale the Younger, of Northallerton in the County of York, Grocers, Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, are desired to meet the Assignees of their Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 27th Day of June instant, at Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Langhourn Ward Coffee-house in Fenchurch-street, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Adam Watson, of Little Britain, London, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Thursday the 28th Instant, at Eight o'Clock in the Evening, at Batson's Coffee-house, in Cornhill, London, in order to assent to or dissent from their commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Moses Zuntz, of Fenchurch-street, London, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Four Days, to be computed from the 29th Instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorised, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 3d Day of July next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, between Eleven and One of the same Day, and make a full Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt was awarded and issued against Thomas Shephard the Younger, of the City of Chester, Linen-draper; This is to give Notice that the said Commission is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, superseded.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Chapman and John Chapman, of the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners in Trade, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 11th Days of July next, and on the 6th Day of August following, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Mr. Loftus's, the Sign of the White Hart, in Newcastle upon Tyne, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Ralph Heron, Attorney, in Newcastle upon Tyne.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Nicholas, of Penryn in the County of Cornwall, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th and 11th Days of July next, and on the 6th Day of August following, at Three in the Afternoon on each Day, at the Globe Tavern, in the City of Exeter, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Sanford, Attorney, in Exeter.